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## PATENT APPLICATION

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In re application of:

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Group Art Unit: 1733

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For: SEALANT-INCORPORATED TIRE MANUFACTURING METHOD AND  
SEALANT-INCORPORATED TIRE

### **NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Decision of the Primary Examiner dated December 10, 2003 finally rejecting claims 4, 5 and 7.

A timely response to the final rejection dated November 18, 2003 has been filed.

The \$330.00 Appeal Fee is attached.

The shortened statutory period expiring on December 18, 2003, it is hereby requested that the period for response be extended for a third month. A Petition for Extension of Time for two (2) months was previously filed on November 18, 2003. Also included in our check is \$530.00 as payment of the fee for a third month extension of time for filing this Notice of Appeal.

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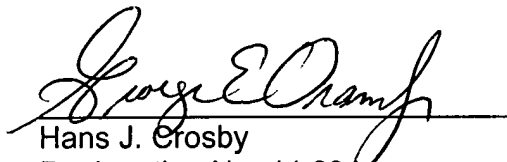
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